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## **SENATE RESOLUTION**

## MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to establish an interim study committee to study gaming issues.

Whereas, The gaming industry provides revenue for Indiana's economy and jobs for Hoosiers; and

Whereas, In order to properly assess the impact of gaming on our state, numerous aspects of the gaming industry should receive further study: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to establish ar
2	interim study committee to study gaming issues.
3	SECTION 2. That the committee, if established, shall:
4	(A) assess the gaming industry competitive landscape in
5	surrounding states;
6	(B) measure the fiscal impact on state and local revenues caused
7	by increased gaming competition in surrounding states;
8	(C) determine the employment impact on Indiana employees
9	caused by increased gaming competition in surrounding states
0	(D) quantify the overall economic impact on the state that wil
1	result from increased gaming competition in surrounding states
2	(E) review legislative options available to protect the interests of
3	the state from increased gaming competition in surrounding
4	states; and
5	(F) consider the advisability of the general assembly establishing
6	a permanent gaming management oversight commission to



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review the gaming industry on a regular basis and make recommendations to the general assembly on the regulation, management, competitiveness, and oversight of the industry.



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